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Applicant(s): Kazuhito Kawakami et al.

Invention: RESIN PARTICLE AND METHOD FOR PREPARTION THEREOF

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 22, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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